

PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

41-2576

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

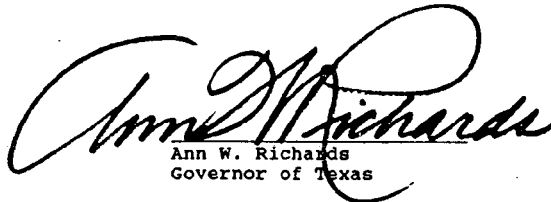
Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, Ann W. Richards, Governor of Texas, do hereby veto H.B. 2333 because of the following objections:

This bill amends the Texas Education Code by repealing the authority of the Commissioner of Education to exempt exemplary schools from state regulations. The bill would require the entire school district to be rated as exemplary for schools in the district to receive waivers from state regulations. Because of the importance of local control and community involvement in improving schools, the Commissioner should have the authority to recognize excellence in individual schools. This bill would be a disincentive for innovation in education. It is not in the best interest of the schools of Texas to allow this bill to become law.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the Legislature.

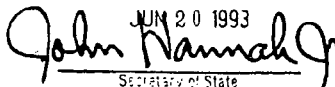
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 19 day of June, 1993.




Ann W. Richards
Governor of Texas

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
SECRETARY OF STATE

10:10 p.m. 9 JUN 20


John Hannah
Secretary of State